

Great Basin Priority Summary - Based on Most Recent 209's 8/15/21																	
>								Expected		Cre	ews	He	licopt	ers			
Priority	Unit ID	Incident	Suppression Strategy	Descriptive Location	Size	24 hr Change	% Ctn	Ctn Date	Complexity / IC Name	T-1	T-2IA or 2	T-1			Total # Persons	Critical Needs	Threats
New and Emerging Initial Attack Incidents																	
		None															
				·	Ongoing	Large Fir	es – Prio	ritized for I	Resource Comi	mitm	ent						
L	UT-NWS	Parleys Canyon	Full Suppression	10 mi E of Salt Lake City, UT	619	-1,381	10%	9/1/21	Type 3 IMT James Turner	2	3	2	0	2	191	T2 IMT in brief 8/15 3-T1 Crews	Evacuations in effect. I-80 lane restrictions. Summit Park community
2	ID-PAF	French	Full Suppression	15 mi E of Riggins, ID	1,160	+860	30%	9/1/21	Type 3 IC Jeff Schriker Zach Glover (T)	1	1	1	1	0	131	Maintain current resouces, 4-T1 crews, T1 Helo	Residences nearby, Salmon River & French Creek roads restricted, recreation areas closed.
3	ID-SCF	Mud Lick	(58%) Confine (42%) Point Protection	23 mi W of Salmon, ID	20,677	0	68% Comp of the 58%	9/19/21	Type 2 IMT GB Team 7 Jeff Knudson Transition to Type 3 IMT NV Team 1 8/16 @ 0600	0	1	1	0	1	186	None	Low threat/risk. Limited public access. Road closures.
1	NV-HTF	Tamarack	(82%) Full Suppression (18%) Confine	16 mi S of Gardnerville , NV	68,637	0	82% Comp of the 82%	8/31/21	Type 3 IMT Scott Stephenson	0	9	0	1	2	361	EQTR	Fire threat is greatly reduced, fire still poses a risk to communities adjacent to fire. Other values at risk include municipal watersheds, Power distribution lines, comm. sites, and the PCT Road/Trail/Area closures.



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5	ID-BOF	Smith	Full Suppression	11 mi NW of Lowman, ID	48	+18	60%	8/21/21	Type 3 IC B Oakleaf	2	2	0	1	2	116	1-T1/T2 Helo	Bull Trout habitat, high use recreational areas, historic lookout structures
	Ongoing Long Duration Fires – Not Being Prioritized for Resource Commitment																
	ID-SCF	Boundary	Point Zone Protection	24 mi NW of Stanley, ID	245	+5	30%	9/19/21	Type 3 IC Riley Rhodes	2	4	2	1	1	144	Maintain current resources	Threat to the Boundary Creek Guard Station & boat launch. Residences at Sulfur & Morgan Ranch
	ID-SCF	Scarface	Monitor	35 mi W of Challis, ID	315	NC	60%	8/21/21	Type 3 IC South Zone DO	0	0	1	0	0	2	None	None
	UT-UOA	East Desolation	Full Suppression	45 miles E of Price, UT	350	0	50%	8/25/21	Type 3 IC Tyson Besst	0	0	1	0	0	3	None	SGH, buffalo habitat and cultural resources
	Notes of Significance ***  Fires highlighted in yellow have submitted a FINAL ICS-209 or will no longer meet criteria to be prioritized																
		None															



# **Evening Brief**

Date: August 15th, 2021

### Preparedness Levels & Great Basin Fire Activity (from WFDSS)

		Light Initial Attack Activity
National	PL 5	New Fires and Acres: 14 fires for 8.15 acres / 883 acres Large Fire Growth

#### Weather:

High pressure dominates the weather pattern across the western U.S. with hot and generally dry conditions regionwide. The high pressure shifts further west on Monday allowing limited moisture to move northward for isolated, mixed wet/dry thunderstorms over eastern NV and the eastern Idaho mountains.

A low-pressure system drops into the Pacific Northwest on Tuesday, bringing increased winds to western NV. This increased southerly flow will also pull monsoon moisture into Utah for increasing chances of showers and thunderstorms across much of Utah on Tuesday, spreading further north into eastern Idaho and western Wyoming for Wednesday. The low tracks across the central Idaho mountains on Wednesday bringing a strong 10-15 degrees cool down to much of the region by Wednesday/Thursday.

A drier weather pattern returns to the Great Basin by the end of the work week. Another cold front will push into the northern half of the Great Basin by the weekend, with continued cooling and scattered showers for Idaho and Wyoming.

#### Fuels/Fire Potential:

#### ... Fuels and Fire Behavior Advisory in Effect for the Sierra Front above 5500 Feet ...

Fire Danger has steadily increased with the recent hot temperatures and dry conditions across most areas. Fuels are driest across Western Nevada and near the 90th percentile in most areas there. Further north across Idaho and Wyoming fuels are mainly in the 70th - 90th percentiles but drying rapidly with the hot and dry conditions. Isolated thunderstorms the next few days in northern areas could trigger new ignitions with rapid growth.

By midweek, rapid moistening of fuels are expected across the Northern and Eastern portions of the Great Basin with a change to sharply cooler and more moist conditions. The most critically dry areas by the end of the week will be confined to Western Nevada.

#### Resources:

#### **Aviation within the Great Basin**

- 1 VLAT, 2 LATs, 2 CL-415
- o 22 SEATs, 0 FB, 9 AA, 1 ASM, 1 LP
- o 10 Type 1 Helicopters / 10 Comm.
- 8 Type 2 Helicopters / 8 Comm.
- 16 Type 3 Helicopters / 11 Comm.

#### Crews Committed within the Great Basin

- o 7 IHCs / 0 Available IA / 1 R&R
- o 14 Type 2IA / 0 Available / 0 R&R



## **Current Incident Details**

Todays Activity (from WFDSS):

Incident Name	Unique Fire Identifier	Size	Status	Lattitude	Longitude	Pt. of Origin Sage Grouse Habitat	
*Wood Creek	2021-UTNWS-000762	2	Controlled 08/14/21	40.96028	-111.6717	NO	
*Rattlesnake	2021-NVELD-040195	0.1	Controlled 08/14/21	37.621383	-114.828917	NO	
*Red Butte	2021-UTDIF-000741	0.1	Contained 08/15/21	37.39667	-113.6808	NO	
*Collinston	2021-UTBRS-000765	0.25	Controlled 08/14/21	41.7356	-112.0965	NO	
*North Weaver	2021-UTUOA-100245	0.3	Not Contained	39.307217	-109.806517	GHMA	
Rose	2021-NVELD-040196	0.1	Controlled 08/15/21	37.970383	-114.25565	OHMA	
Lamb	2021-UTSWS-000742	1.3	Not Contained	37.04263	-112.6971	NO	
MM 211	2021-UTSCS-210461	0.1	Controlled 08/15/21	39.543	-111.9521	NO	
US 95 MM 5	2021-NVWID-020182	0.1	Controlled 08/15/21	41.042333	-117.7205	NO	
Water Canyon	2021-UTCCD-000743	1	Not Contained	37.04088	-112.9652	NO	
Donahue Basin	2021-IDSTF-000322	0.1	Controlled 08/15/21	42.28199	-114.3611	SFA	
Bingham County Assist 2	2021-ID4BN-000206	0.1	Controlled 08/15/21	43.20134	-112.3568	NO	
Jones Hole	2021-UTNES-100248	0.1	Contained 08/15/21	40.59958	-109.0576	FWS-PAC	
Exit 12	2021-UTBRS-000766	2.5	Contained 08/15/21	41.93018	-112.6455	NO	

\* Fires occurred previous night, not today For additional information go to: <u>Great Basin Coordination Center Web Site</u>